

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. National Phase of International)	
Application No. PCT/US2004/037041 of:)	
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Suk-Wah TAM-CHANG et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1634
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For: IMPROVED METHODS FOR)	
DETECTING AND MEASURING)	
SPECIFIC NUCLEIC ACID)	
SEQUENCES)	

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 31, 2010,
Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following
amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Drawings are included in this paper and include twelve
(12) sheets of drawings (Figures 1, 2A, 2B, 2C, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4A, 4B, 4C, 5, 6A, 6B, 7, 8,
9, 10, and 11).

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.